



## Daily Market Information Report - Wednesday, March 10, 2021

The following information is collected from various sources and disseminated by Beef Farmers of Ontario.

### ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis before grade and weight discounts, **regardless of delivery date.**

<b>A Grade Steers</b>	240.00-242.00- delivery from next week to the week of April 5 <sup>th</sup>
<b>A Grade Heifers</b>	239.00-241.00- delivery from next week to the week of April 5 <sup>th</sup>

### ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at **Ontario Livestock Exchange: 653** stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>
<b>1000+</b>	160.00-185.00	<b>800+</b>	153.00-165.50
<b>800-1000</b>	175.00-183.50		

Feeder cattle sold on a barely steady market.

Today at **Ontario Stockyards Inc.: 100** fed steers & heifers, **300** Cows & bulls, **10** veal

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Fancy Fed Steers &amp; Heifers</b>	Not enough sold at time	of reporting.
<b>Good Beef Cows</b>	73.00-84.00	92.50
<b>Good Dairy Cows</b>	68.00-80.00	88.00
<b>Export Cows</b>	60.00-69.00	71.00
<b>Bulls</b>	88.00-107.00	108.00

Cows and bulls sold on a fully steady market. Fed cattle are trading fully steady but had just started to trade at time of reporting, with no pricing available at this time. *650 stockers are expected for Thursday's sale! April 13<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- All Vaccinated Spring Stocker Sale!*

**Denfield Livestock Exchange Inc., March 9, 2021: 212** Fed Cattle, **29** Veal, **102** Cows, **1** Bull

	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs</b>	135.25-149.75	143.86	151.50
<b>Large &amp; Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs</b>	136.50-148.25	143.54	171.00
<b>Cows</b>	54.50-80.50	68.51	86.00
<b>Veal over 600 lbs</b>	109.00-126.00	116.42	165.00

Fed cattle sold fully steady to last week's good trade. Cull cows traded steady and slightly higher in some areas. Veal was fully steady. Drop calves traded slightly higher with a good demand. *Saturday March 27<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- Vaccinated Stocker Sale!*

**Ontario auction sales on Tuesday** saw weighted prices for:

	<b>Volume</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
Large & Medium Frame Fed Steers +1250 lbs	110	135.15-147.40	142.29	151.50
Large & Medium Frame Fed Heifers +1000 lbs	228	129.63-146.36	140.65	171.00
Fed Heifers, Dairy & Dairy Cross +1000 lbs	20	87.40-98.60	93.88	140.00
Cows	774	58.03-78.76	68.38	108.00
Bulls under 1600 lbs	7	70.99-111.85	93.61	118.99
Bulls over 1600 lbs	26	78.23-98.73	89.00	109.00
Veal 600 lbs and over	167	83.06-128.73	108.72	170.00
Veal 125 & less	81	115.77-228.74	163.49	364.04

To check out individual auction market results on the Ontario Beef website go to <http://www.ontariobeef.com/markets/market-reports.aspx>

Stocker sale at: **Community Livestock Exchange: March 9, 2021 – 153** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>700-799</b>	146.99-187.99	170.59	187.99	<b>600-699</b>	141.99-187.00	167.19	187.00
<b>600-699</b>	166.99-216.99	198.79	216.99	<b>500-599</b>	150.00-214.00	192.50	214.00
<b>0500-599</b>	138.99-252.00	221.20	252.00	<b>400-499</b>	162.50-216.99	206.30	216.99
<b>400-499</b>	111.00-250.00	216.10	250.00				

March 12<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- *Quinte Cattlemen's Stocker Sale, Farm Fresh, Catalogued with 95% Vaccinated!*

Stocker sale at: **Keady Livestock Market: March 9, 2021 – 921** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	159.50-173.50	166.77	173.50	<b>900+</b>	133.00-143.50	140.00	143.50
<b>900-999</b>	162.00-183.50	170.52	183.75	<b>800-899</b>	175.25-176.00	175.39	176.00
<b>0800-899</b>	170.00-191.00	178.52	191.00	<b>700-799</b>	172.00-182.00	177.29	182.00
<b>700-799</b>	195.00-209.00	201.59	216.00	<b>600-699</b>	175.00-199.00	183.18	199.00
<b>600-699</b>	216.50-240.50	228.28	243.00	<b>500-599</b>	174.00-218.00	199.57	218.00
<b>500-599</b>	234.00-246.00	241.72	246.00	<b>400-499</b>	196.00-239.00	214.64	239.00
<b>400-499</b>	225.00-239.00	230.30	244.00				

Light weight cattle sold actively at steady prices with heavier cattle trading under pressure. Cows sold on a slightly easier market. Dollar calves sold higher on a strong demand with calves under 150 lbs up to \$265.00 per head. *Regular sales will resume on March 23<sup>rd</sup> @ 10:00 am.*

Stocker sale at: **Renfrew Pontiac Livestock: March 9, 2021 – 241** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>700-799</b>	155.00-200.99	183.00	200.99	<b>700-799</b>	117.50-175.00	155.89	175.00
<b>600-699</b>	173.99-214.99	198.90	214.99	<b>600-699</b>	135.00-184.00	176.19	184.00
<b>500-599</b>	180.00-243.00	228.50	243.00	<b>500-599</b>	139.99-198.99	177.40	198.99
<b>400-499</b>	164.99-266.00	242.30	266.00	<b>400-499</b>	119.99-194.99	182.40	194.99
				<b>300-399</b>	194.99-220.00	207.39	220.00

### **ONTARIO STOCKER & FEEDER TRADE SPECIAL SPRING SALES**

Stocker sale at: **Ontario Stockyards Inc: March 9, 2021– 1,102** Stockers

<b>Steers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>	<b>Heifers</b>	<b>Price Range</b>	<b>Average</b>	<b>Top</b>
<b>1000+</b>	157.50-165.50	162.83	165.50	<b>900+</b>	138.00-144.00	142.94	150.00
<b>900-999</b>	164.00-177.75	173.89	181.00	<b>800-899</b>	150.00-166.50	161.97	166.50
<b>800-899</b>	175.00-186.00	180.43	186.75	<b>700-799</b>	163.00-181.00	175.06	184.50
<b>700-799</b>	193.75-213.00	201.12	213.00	<b>600-699</b>	180.00-208.00	192.35	208.00
<b>600-699</b>	204.00-238.00	219.83	245.00	<b>500-599</b>	175.00-212.50	190.34	227.50
<b>500-599</b>	207.00-260.50	236.96	260.50	<b>400-499</b>	179.00-226.00	200.06	233.50
<b>400-499</b>	246.00-278.00	267.96	278.00	<b>300-399</b>	155.00-215.00	188.33	215.00
<b>399-</b>	210.00-222.50	215.83	222.50				

Special All Vaccinated Stocker Sale- Grass type cattle sold at premiums. Yearlings sold at firm steady prices. *April 13<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- Spring All Vaccinated Stocker Sale! April 15<sup>th</sup> @ 11:00 am- Leeds/Grenville Counties Calf Sale!*

### **U.S. BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES (U.S. funds)**

	<b>Choice 600-900</b>	<b>Select 600-900</b>
<b>Cutout Values</b> (noon estimate):	227.09	220.42
<b>Change</b> (from yesterday's close):	-1.94	-3.38
<b>Current Five Day Average:</b>	231.67	222.74

### **ALBERTA DIRECT TRADE**

**Alberta direct trade** remains untested however Canfax notes some light to moderate trade is expected to develop this afternoon. Asking prices are sitting at \$255.00 plus cwt delivered on a dressed basis.

### **U.S. TRADE (U.S. funds)**

**The U.S. cash cattle trade** saw a few deals in Texas, Nebraska and Colorado yesterday from \$113.00-\$114.00 live, which is steady with last week, with a couple of deals in Iowa at \$177.00-\$178.00 dressed, down \$2.00-\$3.00, but not enough to establish a market. Today, light trade has surfaced at \$114.00 live which is fully steady to last week's southern sales. Parts of the north has seen a couple of deals today at \$113.00 live and \$180.00 dressed, also steady to last weeks Nebraska trade. Asking prices are sitting at \$115.00-\$116.00 live in the south and \$182.00-\$184.00 dressed in the north.

**At the Central Stockyards online auction today** there were 1,506 head on offer, in 10 lots with delivery in 1-16 days. Bids of \$113.00-\$113.75 live were passed by sellers, leaving all cattle on offer unsold.

<b>Choice and Select Steers and Heifers:</b>	Live	113.00-114.00
	Rail	177.00-180.00

### **CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE**

Closing quotes on futures today were as follows:

<b>Live Cattle</b>		<b>Feeder Cattle</b>		<b>Corn</b>		<b>Soybeans</b>		<b>Canadian \$</b>	
<b>Apr</b>	118.77 -0.87	<b>Mar</b>	136.20 -0.95	<b>Mar</b>	5.476 -14.2	<b>Mar</b>	14.114 -29.6	<b>Spot</b>	79.20 +0.04
<b>Jun</b>	118.97 -0.67	<b>Apr</b>	141.72 -0.35	<b>May</b>	5.340 -11.6	<b>May</b>	14.096 -30.2	<b>Mar</b>	79.21 +0.05
<b>Aug</b>	117.92 -0.30	<b>May</b>	146.82 -0.15	<b>Jul</b>	5.242 -10.4	<b>July</b>	13.960 -30.0	<b>Jun</b>	79.22 +0.05
<b>Oct</b>	122.05 -0.15	<b>Aug</b>	154.75 -0.12	<b>Sep</b>	4.960 -6.6	<b>Aug</b>	13.554 -27.2	<b>Sep</b>	79.21 +0.05
<b>Dec</b>	124.50 -0.42	<b>Sep</b>	155.27 -0.17	<b>Dec</b>	4.802 -4.4	<b>Sep</b>	12.814 -24.6	<b>Dec</b>	79.21 +0.05
<b>Feb</b>	126.92 -0.62	<b>Oct</b>	155.55 -0.10	<b>Mar</b>	4.874 -4.4	<b>Nov</b>	12.386 -23.2	<b>Mar</b>	79.20 +0.06

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